

CHILDREN'S BUREAU WARMLY DEFENDED

Effort to Cripple Work by Cutting Appropriation Brings Sharp Protests.

The effort to cripple the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor promises to cause the most strenuous protest before the legislative bill is enacted. It is meeting with objection at the House end of the Capitol and when it reaches the Senate will cause prolonged discussion. A number of Senators are looking to the matter and will not consent to the Children's Bureau being crippled and hemmed in so that it will be practically useless.

The creation of the Children's Bureau in the first place was opposed by reactionary forces in Congress. They belittled it as a "useless expense" and much to say of "infringement of State rights," "useless expense," and the like.

Opposed By Certain Interests.

Back of the opposition stood elements that favored the employment of child labor and did not want the Government to do anything to interfere with it. Some of the Southern Senators, who always get mightily aroused when there is any attempt to deal with the child labor evil, were opposed to the creation of the bureau and talked about the "disgraceful centralization of federal power," and the like. In spite of the opposition, the bill finally got through, and Miss Julia Lathrop was named as head. That was in the last Administration.

Miss Lathrop held her place in this Administration, despite efforts to get rid of her by many of the Democratic politicians. The attempt was made to replace her with a Louisiana woman of comparatively little experience in the work of studying the child problems of the nation. This attempt failed.

Lines Sharply Drawn.

It is clear that the same elements which always have fought against establishment of a Children's Bureau are now trying to hold down its appropriations and limit its activity. The friends of child labor legislation in Congress and the importance of the work Miss Lathrop proposes. They say that the more light is thrown on children, the more easy it will get laws, Federal and State, to child labor. For that reason, lines of support for child labor and of opposition to such action will be sharply drawn in the question whether more money be provided for the Children's Bureau.

Twelve Out of 24 Pass Pharmacy Examination

Twelve out of twenty-four who the examination of the board of pharmacy for licenses to practice, succeeded in passing. The successful candidates are: Theodore Leith Gill, Freeman Lear, George Richard, John Howard Faine, John Murphy, William Herbert, Irving Alexander, Theodore John, John Samuel, Lantz, Henry James Johnson, as Benton Crisp, Jr., and Harry Clark. The next examination of the board will be held July 11.

WEATHER REPORT.

forecast for the District of Columbia—Cloudy and unsettled tonight; generally fair. Tomorrow, probably rain in northeast portion; generally fair, fresh to shifting winds.

Virginia—Cloudy tonight; Thursday generally fair, slightly warmer in the south portion; fresh shifting winds near the coast.

The temperature today as registered at the United States Weather Bureau and Annapolis:

U. S. BUREAU. APRIL 15, 1914.

5 a. m. 48 5 a. m. 44
7 a. m. 49 7 a. m. 45
9 a. m. 50 9 a. m. 46
11 a. m. 50 11 a. m. 46
1 p. m. 52 1 p. m. 48
3 p. m. 52 3 p. m. 48

TIDE TABLE.
High tide, 11:56 a. m.
Low tide, 6:55 a. m. and 6:41 p. m.

SUN TABLE.
Sun rises, 5:23 Sun sets, 6:36

URGES HIGHER RATE



MRS. ARCHIBALD HOPKINS,
One of those who appeared before Congress to urge a higher loan rate in the District on remedial loans.

CHARITY BOARD FOR RAISING LOAN RATE

The Commissioners' bill providing for a rate of 15 per cent a month on small loans is indorsed by the board of managers of the Associated Charities. Resolutions indorsing the bill were adopted at a meeting of the board yesterday afternoon, and will be filed with the House District Committee. The resolutions set forth that the rate permitted must be sufficient to attract capital into the business of making small loans on chattels or promissory notes.

The board agrees with the Commissioners that the rate of 1 per cent a month is not sufficient to permit the successful operation of the business. The position of the board is that the poor man should not be discriminated against, which will be the case if the rate of interest is so low that the money cannot be furnished him.

Attention is called to the fact that this class of loans are not negotiable through the ordinary commercial banks and trust companies.

Those present at the meeting were William H. Baldwin, Mrs. Gist Blair, Miss Mabel T. Boardman, Judge William H. De Lacy, Dr. George M. Kober, Miss Helen Nicol, Dr. William C. Rives, Dr. William S. Small, Miss Florence P. Spohn, Dr. John Van Schickel, Jr., Henry White, and George S. Wilson.

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CHAMBER TO DISCUSS DISTRICT DELEGATES

Question of Indorsing Plan for Representation Before Congress to Be Taken Up.

Whether the Washington Chamber of Commerce shall indorse the plan for one or more District delegates in Congress will be decided at the next regular meeting of the chamber on May 12. This course was decided upon at the meeting last night, when the question of a delegate, already debated at a special meeting, was brought up and deferred until the May meeting.

The only other matter of District legislation to be touched on last night was the bill recently introduced by Senator Gallinger, which would provide that assessments for street extensions be not payable until the streets are actually opened. The bill was warmly commended by several speakers and a motion by A. Leftwich Sinclair that it be approved was unanimously adopted. It was agreed to urge all members of the chamber to decorate their places of business on May 15 and 16 in honor of the unveiling of the Barry monument in Franklin square. The unveiling committee anticipates 100,000 visitors to the city. A severe cold prevented William F. Gude, president of the chamber, from attending last night and the chair was occupied by Vice President Patrick T. Moran.

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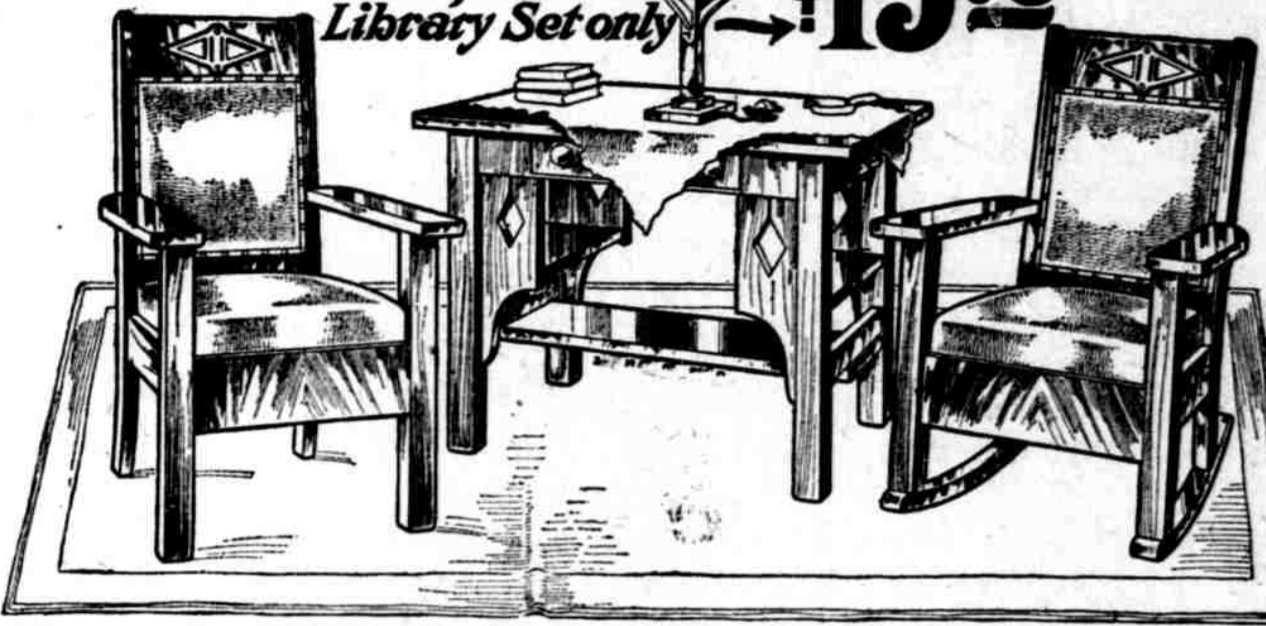
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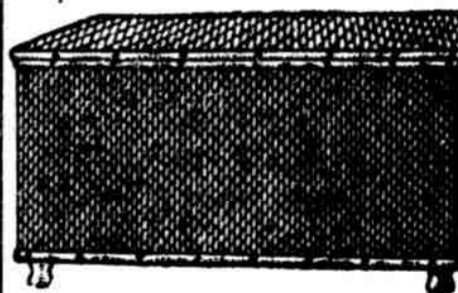
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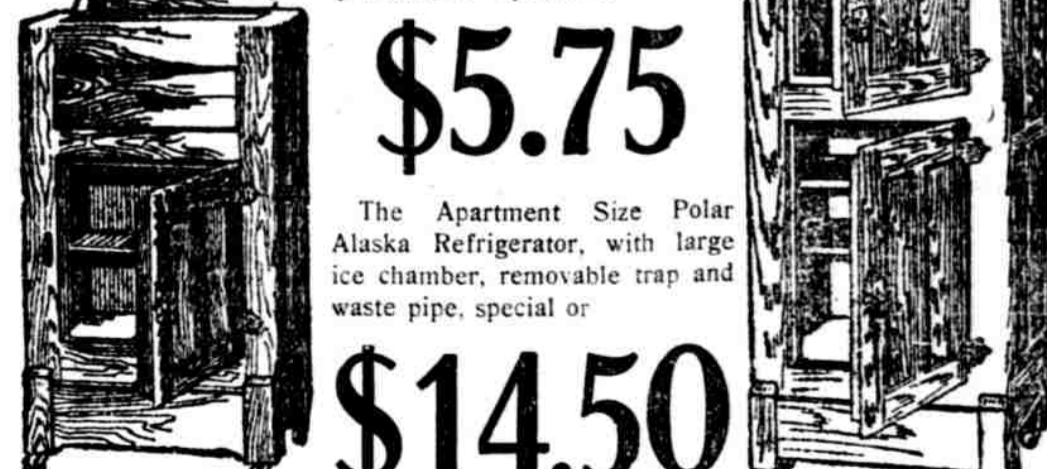


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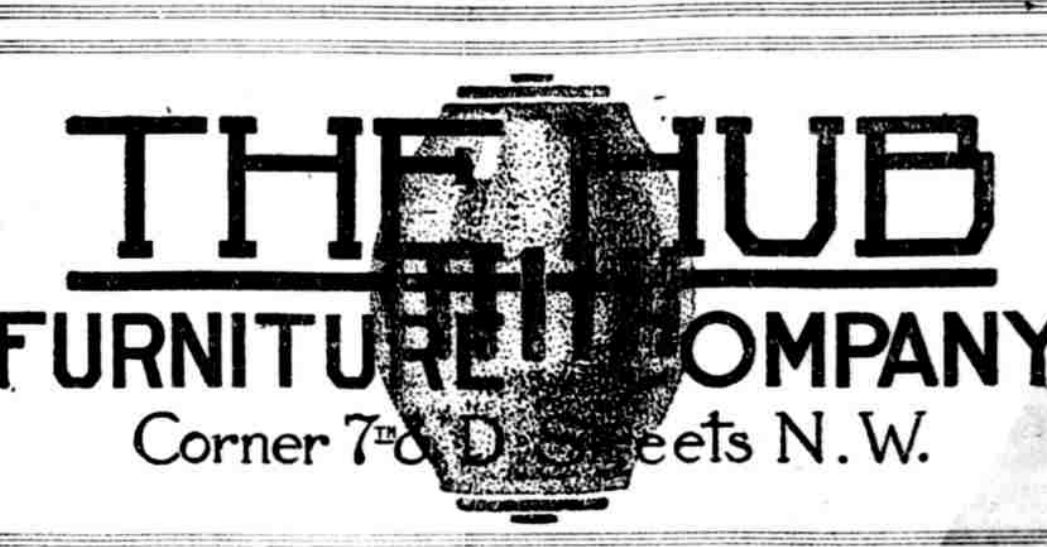


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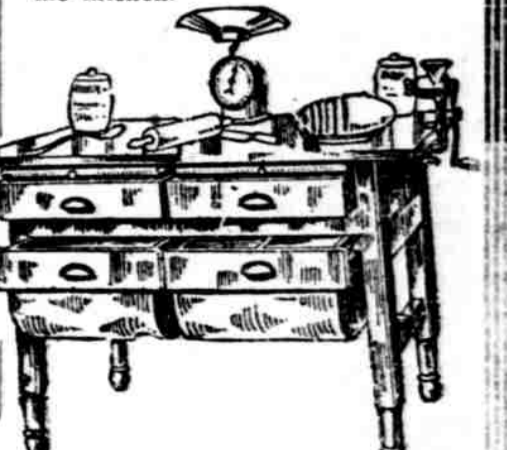


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